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that peace which is not to be found the great cities nor at seaside resorts are over one and the visitor underings over one and the visitor underings which it her cabin.

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d so we sat down to talk, Mrs. is in gracious Southern mood, insted as she said "in life and love living." But it was not from Mrs. is that the visitor to the valley sed these personal details of Mrs. Harris Leach, the interviewer had for the content of the con

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they are here set down all sequence.

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"Finally one day a representative of the company, with whom the re-

puted O. Henry had been making ne

gottations, called at the office of Ains-ice's Magazine and asked to see Mr. Hall. He explained that the —— com-

pany naturally wished to proceed with every care and courtesy. 'Do you know?' he asked, 'who O. Henry really is? We have always understood that

have always understood that he is an undergraduate at Harvard.' Mr. Hall told the representative that the real O.

was a knock on the door, a boy entered and announced 'Mr. O. Henry!'"

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ry had never been further East than New York, that his name was William Sydney Porter and that he was living in East Twenty-sixth street. Then the

the conclusive proof, to clear away st vestige of possible doubt. There

LIVED OUT HIS FICTION

r Lewis's descriptions of the

the hero in his just published novel. The Trail of the Hawk," were founded

his own observations. In the cal between his junior and senior at Yale, Mr. Lewis, deciding that intended him for a civil engineer, ith for Panama. But the Isthmus Commission did not share his in his engineering genius, and yale campus." He says, "I became waway and made my way back yale campus." He was an editor e Yale Literary Magazine. Also been a department store book to be a department store book.

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THE PERSONAL SIDE OF

THE MAKERS OF BOOKS

Apropos of the recent rumors claiming knowledge of the identity of David Grayson (whose novel "Hempfield" is just announced), a writer in the Bookman is reminded of the episode of a pretended O. Henry, which occurred in the same is reminded of the episode of a pretended O. Henry, which occurred in the same received that author's career with Jack London at Carmel, Cal.

retended O. Henry, which occurred in the early part of that author's career, when his first stories were appearing in Ainsiec's Magazine. We quote briefly from the article:

"One Robert Minturn Trimble (which of course is not his real name) it seems was having a very good time as a Harvard undergraduate, and doing comparatively little serious work. (At home)

"One Robert Minturn Trimble (which of course is not his real name) it seems was janitor there and was caricatured by half the newspapers in the country as the "Yale janitor"; wrote "Our Mr. Wrenn" at Proyincetown, Mass. where Mary Heaton Vorse, Louis Joseph Vance, Wilbur Steele, Susan Glaspell et al. write.

had been writing stories for the magalines and having them accepted, and
picking up a current issue he pointed
out as his own a certain story which
happened to be one by O. Henry. His
uncle and aunt read the story, estimated
if highly, cut it out and sent it to a
Harvard professor with the information
that it was the work of their nephew.

When come around may heard here.

Vance, Wilbur Steele, Susan Glaspell et
al. write.

Wanderings in England by wanderings
there himself—on his first cattle boat
trip he arrived in England with only 15
cents.

Closely tallying the author's own experience, the hero of "The Trail of the
Hawk" is a Scandinavian-American,
born in Minnesota and as completely
Americanized as any Yankee. He ai-

"The news spread and was heard here. Americanized as any Yankee. He at

tends public school in Minnesota and college, then becomes for some years a wanderer, floating on to Chicago, to Indiana, to Virginia, to Michigan, to New York, to Panama, to California, and Beimont Park meet, the biggest Chicago meet, &c. Finally he settles down in New York in the automobile business. Thus he covers in something less than thirty years the grand tour of America — and it is said that the portraits of the various parts of America are all founded on Mr. Lewis's own experience in those parts.

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New York and Boston Despatch Express Company suing &c., respondent, vs. Howard Carroll and another, appellants. Order reversed with \$10 costs and disbursements and motion granted with \$10 costs. Opinion by Ingraham, P. J. (Molaughlin and Laughlin, J.), dissenting on opinion of Lehman, J.) Order filed.

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CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOHN THE DIVINE—The preachers to morrow will be as
follows: 11 A. M., the Right Rev. Dr.
Samuel Cook Edsail, Bishop of Minnesota;
4 P. M., the Rev. Dr. Dickinson S. Miller,
professor of Christian applogetics, General
Theological Seminary, special preacher at
the cathedral.

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Rev. Dr. Elliott W. Brown, pastor, will
occupy the pulpit at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
to-morrow. The celebration of the Last
Supper will be observed at the close of the
morning service. Next Monday evening an
illusrated lecture will be given by the Rev.
Allen Moore; the subject, "A Trip to Jerusalem Nazareth, Jericho, Samaria and the
Land of Moab." The Rev. Allen Moore
has just concluded a series of lectures
called "Palestine Pageant" at the Crystal
Palace.

ST. JAMES METHODIST CHURCH— Mary Meagher, respondent, vs. Sesrun Society, appeilant. Judgment and order affirmed with costs. No opinion. (McLaughiin and Clarke, JJ., dissenting on the ground that the verdict that the defendant was guilty of negligence was against the weight of evidence.) Order fied.

Opinion per curiam. Settie order on notice.

Vermont Marbie Company, appellant, vs.
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Vermont Marbie Company, appellant, vs.
Charles M. Gray Marbie & Slate Company, respondent. Order affirmed with \$10 costs respondent. Order affirmed with \$10 costs order signed.

Brooklyn Structural Steel Company vs.
Abraham Lechtman and another. Application denied with \$10 costs. Order signed.

Austin Baldwin & Co. vs. Veronica Kohler et al. Application denied with \$10 costs. Settle order on notice.

St. Chomas's Church

Maria L. Caroccio as administratrix, repondent, vs. Shults Bread Company, apellant. Judgment and order affirmed
vith costs. No opinion. Order filed.
Denison Cotton Mili Company, responent, vs. Herx & Eddy, appellant. Judgnent and order affirmed with costs. No
pinion. (Smith, J., dissenting, Laughlin,
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ew trial unless plaintiff stipulates to reuce verdict to one-third.) Order filed.
Isaac Heidelburger, respondent, vs. Hat-

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Philip Manson, appeliant. Va. K. K. K. K. A. Sury Carry Sury Curits. respondent. J. J. Herbort Bailantine, respondent, vs. Lames T. Beckwith, appeliant. Judgment and order affirmed with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

Daniel Hoffman, respondent, vs. Raiph Bogart, appeliant. Judgment affirmed with costs. No opinion. Order filed.
William J. Kindgen as receiver, respondent, vs. Antonio Bonaty and another, appeliants. Judgment affirmed with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

August Peschmanns, respondent, vs. National Surety Company, appeliant. Order filed.

Nettle Raught, respondent, vs. Roland I. S. Marsh et al., impleaded, appellants. No opinion. Order filed.

Nettle Raught, respondent, vs. Bradiey Clarke, J. Order filed.

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Sebastino Craco, respondent, vs. Bradiey Contacting Company, appeliant. Judgments and order reversed, new trial ordered, costs to appellant to abide event. Opinion by Scott, J. Order filed.

In the matter of Joseph R. Megrue, decreased. Minnie Megrue, petitioner, Decree affirmed with costs. Opinion by Scott, J. Order filed.

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In the matter of Joseph R. Megrue, decree affirmed with costs. Opinion by Scott, J. Order filed.

In the matter of Joseph R. Megrue, decree affirmed with costs and complaint dismissed with costs. Opinion per curiam. (Laugh-lin and Smith, JJ., dissenting.) Order filed.

Maria L. Caroccio as administratrix, respondent, vs. New York Consolidated Rail-filed.

Maria L. Caroccio as administratrix, respondent, vs. Shulls Bread Company, aperiant. Judgment reversed, with costs and complaint dismissed with costs. Opinion per curiam. (Laugh-lin and Smith, JJ., dissenting.) Order filed.

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